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**Via United States Mail**

Regional Freedom of Information Officer  
U.S. EPA, Region 9  
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**Re: FOIA**

To Whom It May Concern:

This letter is a request for copies of records pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act, 5 U.S.C. § 522 et seq., and corresponding regulations (the "Act"). Specifically, please provide copies of any and all documents, from the period beginning January 1, 2012 through today, concerning the following:

Notification documents received by EPA for continuous ammonia release reporting, submitted to EPA under the Emergency Planning and Community Right to Know Act (EPCRA), for large (non-exempt) Concentrated Animal Feeding Operations (CAFO's). Specifically, I am seeking records regarding initial telephone and written notification to EPA under 40 C.F.R. § 302.8, EPA records confirming receipt of the same, and records regarding follow-up notification under 40 C.F.R. § 302.8.

Please limit my request as follows, to the extent possible: I request initial written notification records and follow-up notification relating to approximately ten (10) large non-exempt CAFO's within the region. If it is possible to narrow this search according to industry (or source of release), please provide records for ten (10) non-exempt CAFO's that reported continuous ammonia releases for poultry or egg operations within the region. If it is possible to *further* sort or narrow this search by quantity of emissions, please provide initial and follow-up records relating to the ten (10) non-exempt CAFO's that reported the largest continuous ammonia releases for poultry or egg operations.

I request hard copies of the requested documents, or production of the documents on a computer disc or via other electronic format, such as by email attachment. If some of the

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documents become available to send before others, I will accept the production of the requested documents in multiple phases.

I agree to pay reasonable search and duplication fees for the processing of this request in an amount not to exceed \$250. Please notify me prior to incurring any expenses in excess of that amount.

If my request is denied in whole or part, please justify all deletions by reference to specific exemptions of the Act. I reserve the right to appeal your decision to withhold any information.

I look forward to your reply within 20 business days. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact me at (314) 622-6174 or mcurran@polsinelli.com. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads 'Marissa Curran'.

Marissa L. Curran

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